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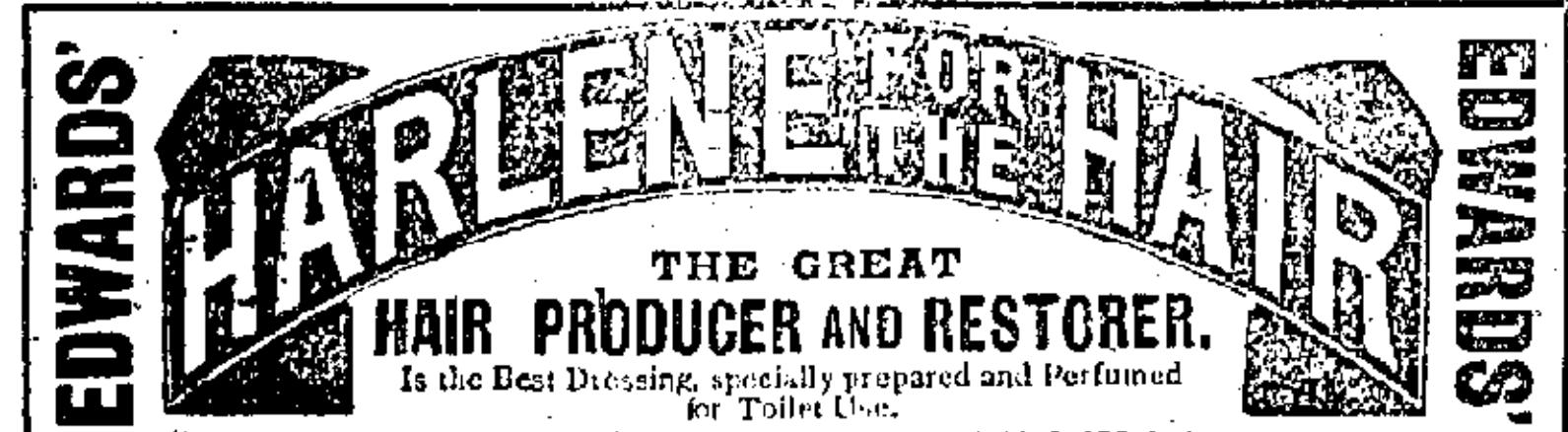
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S. CHOU, Agent.

Hongkong, October 1, 1898. 689

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T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, October 28, 1898. 368

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Hongkong, November 30, 1897. 171

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Hongkong, December 1, 1897. 2840

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For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1898. 161

## Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

Name.	Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	I.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Alacrity	brig	1700	10	3000	Comdr. A. H. Smith-Dorrien	
Algolines	sloop	1050	6	1400	Comdr. C. E. Kingmill	
Archer	cruiser, 3rd class	1770	6	3000	Comdr. H. C. J. Colville, C.B.	
Barfleur	battleship, 1st class	10,500	14	13,000	Capt. A. J. Montagu, C.B.	
Bonaventure	cruiser, 2nd class	4300	10	8000	Capt. J. R. Jellicoe	
Centurion*	battleship, 1st class	10,500	14	13,000	Com. C. W. W. Wilkinson-Ingram	
Daphne	sloop	1140	2	2000	Capt. H. A. Gilbert	
Eak	g. & 3rd class coast defence	333	3	200	Capt. F. W. Fisher	
Fame	torpedo boat destroyer	330	4	5700	Capt. A. E. Keyes	
Flybrand	gunboat, 2nd class	455	2	380	Capt. G. A. Dalgarno	
Grafton	cruiser, 1st class	7310	12	12,000	Capt. E. N. W. Dudding	
Handy	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Capt. W. W. Gray	
Hart	torpedo boat destroyer	275	6	4000	Capt. W. W. Gray	
Hermione	cruiser, 2nd class	3600	10	9000	Capt. E. N. W. Dudding	
Humber	armoured cruiser, 1st class	1640	12	2000	Capt. G. F. King-Hall	
Invincible	armoured cruiser, 1st class	3600	12	2000	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Indefatigable	gun-boat, 2nd class	728	6	870	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Narcissus	armoured cruiser, 1st class	5620	12	4000	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Passock	gun-boat, 1st class	728	6	2000	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Phoenix	sloop	4300	10	3000	Capt. G. F. King-Hall	
Pique	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Powerful	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Rattler	gunboat, 1st class	14,800	14	35,000	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Redoubt	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Swift	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Tamer	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Winged	gunboat, 1st class	14,800	14	35,000	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Waverley	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
Wingfield	gunboat, 1st class	728	6	1800	Capt. H. C. J. Colville	
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PROPOSED SAILING FROM HONGKONG.

Nippon Maru (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama & Honolulu) *Arrived* Saturday, Dec. 15, 1898.  
Kohama & Honolulu) *Arrived* Saturday, Jan. 14, 1899.  
Hongkong, Maru (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama & Honolulu) *Arrived* Tuesday, Feb. 7, 1899.

THE Steamship NIPPON MARU will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, VIA SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on THURSDAY, the 15th December, 1898, at NOON, taking Freight and Passengers for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and Passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point in route.

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Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Passages will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcels/Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Conular Invitations to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

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Hongkong, November 2, 1898. 2069

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S.S. Carmelita, 1,920 Tons, about 16th February.

THE Steamship Belpoint King will be despatched for SAN DIEGO, via NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on or about THURSDAY, 18th December, at Noon.

Through Bills of Lading issued to any point in the United States.

Cargo will be received on board until 6 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcels/Packages will be received at the Office until the same time. All Parcels should be marked to address in full. Value of same is required.

Conular Invitations to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Diego should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Diego.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, November 8, 1898. 2136

## UNITED STATES AND CHINA JAPAN STEAMSHIP LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Steamship *Edwina*, Captain P. Schreider, will be despatched as above on or about the 14th December.

TO BE FOLLOWED BY THE S.S. Energeta, to sail about 31st December, S.S. Magat, to sail about 15th January, 1899.

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Hongkong, November 11, 1898. 2126

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We hear that the German flagship *Kaiser* went aground outside Foochow recently, and there is some talk that she is coming to dock at Hongkong.

H.M.S. *Brix* has been commissioned at home to relieve the *Archer* on the China Station. The *Brix* is a twin screw cruiser of the third class, and is similar in every detail to the *Archer*, which goes home to re-arm.

## SPAIN AND THEcession OF THE PHILIPPINES.

Messrs Kelly and Welsh, under the title of 'A Bit of the British Empire,' publish a very neat book of views of Hongkong giving nineteen pictures of the show places of the Colony. Some of the pictures are very pretty, that of the Harbour and Kowloon especially. The book would make an appropriate Christmas reminder to friends at home.

M.A.P.'s says:—The commander-in-chief of the English fleet at the China station is Sir Edward Holbert Seymour, the son of an English clergyman. Since his twelfth year he has been connected with the navy, and has steadily risen through the grades to his present rank. He fought in the Crimean War, where he received the Crimea and other medals for his valour. He also wears the Royal Humane Society's medal for having jumped overboard to save a marine who had fallen into the sea. He figured very prominently at the Jubilee, when he was promoted to be K.C.B.

At the Magistrate's today, J. R. Lee, the senior warden of the Lunatic Asylum, charged George Sydney, assistant warden, with assault, on 16th November. Defendant admitted the charge, but stated he had received provocation. Lee said on the morning of the 15th, he was in the Chinese male ward, and defendant was in his room talking to the smasher, who was in the doorway. The Indian cook was in the passage. Lee gave the cook a push, and said 'Here, you go downstairs.' Defendant came out of his room, and struck him on the chin, saying, 'D— you, leave him alone.' Defendant called back the cook, to whom he spoke about half a minute, and then the cook went downstairs. He had been on unfriendly terms with defendant for some time. They did not speak, but left chits for one another. This state of affairs had continued for over a year. An anan gave evidence that she went up to the defendant's room because the Indian cook told her that she had dirtied the defendant's plate. She brought the Indian cook up with her. The Indian cook said he went upstairs to complain about the anan having hung some ports over his basket. The Magistrate thought the case ought to be referred to the defendant.

WEAPONS AT THE DOCKS.—At Kooloon.— Isidoro Pons, Haiphong, Hanoi, Fukin Maru, Dagu, Eblan. Composition—Heungshan, Chelyden, Aberdeen—None.

CAPTAIN KENNEDY of the 21st Lancers, the gallant Irish officer who, in the splendid cavalry charge at Omdurman, rescued Lieutenant de Montmorency, whose horse had bolted and who was left alone amidst a crowd of Dervishes, some two years ago performed afeat of conspicuous bravery by plunging into the Liffey, in Dublin, and rescuing a man who had thrown himself into the river, from drowning.

Quorn the *Makong*, pulling out its iron-bound stop—M. Lillie, ex-editor of the *Siam Free Press*, who, as will be remembered, was expelled from Siam for having displayed sympathy for France, is to return immediately to Bangkok in the capacity of a French citizen. The Government has considered—and we congratulate them on the fact—that the excellent sentiments of M. Lillie towards France deserved a reward, and they have accorded him French naturalisation. M. Lillie will then soon resume his place on the *Siam Free Press*, and he will speak high and firm to the insignificant (mischievous) yellow monarch who will, before long, perceive that if France has displayed much patience in respect to him, she can also use other means to him to reason.' [Rerer-rata-plan!—Boun! Boun! Boun!—Ed., *Singapore Free Press*.]

A CORRESPONDENT, writing to a Shanghai contemporary from Newchwang, says:—A private circular invitation from the British Consul to meet Lord Charles at Merton Bush Esq.'s private office was sent round and all responded to the invitation. Mr. J. J. E. Bardin, who was in the chair, placed several resolutions before those present and gave a short description of the existing state of affairs in Newchwang. Numerous resolutions were adopted, and it was resolved to place them in the hands of his lordship with a view to bringing the matter before the Government and the British public. This his Lordship promised to do. Copies are also to be sent to Lord Salisbury and the British Minister at Peking.

The resolutions had reference to many things of local and general interest: the present practice of the Russians to land their railway material free of Customs in inspection and dues; the necessity of a residential Russian Consul; the extension of the British settlement; the granting of land and the formation of a foreign concession on the north bank of the river; British equality with Russians with respect to mining and similar rights throughout Manchuria; the maintenance of Protestant missionaries' privileges in Manchuria in case of certain eventualities; and lastly, the right of acquiring property further inland.

'NEVER KNEW IT TO FAIL.' Mr. R. R. JOHNSTON, RAWALPINDI, says:—'I have personally told Chamberlain's Cello, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have given it to travellers who are passing through a hotel I managed. I must say I never knew it to fail. It is a medicine I can recommend, and one that everybody should keep.'

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## READER'S TELEGRAMS.

[Surrendered to the 'CHINA MAIL.]

LONDON, November 17.  
WAR PREPARATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.

Despatches from Washington report activity in the War Department. The regiments have been ordered to be in readiness for service in the tropics.

## SPAIN AND THEcession OF THE PHILIPPINES.

The Spanish Commissioners have presented a memorandum refusing to discuss the surrender of the sovereignty of the Philippines.

## RUSSIA AND GREAT BRITAIN IN CHINA.

Mr Chamberlain, speaking at Manchester, said that an agreement with Russia regarding China was to be desired, but no agreement could be permanent unless in the interest of both Powers. In regard to the maintenance of the principle of 'the open door,' Great Britain must find common interests with Japan, Germany, and the United States.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:—

On the 15th at 11.30 a.m. The Barometer has risen in S. China. Pressure is probably highest over N. China, and low in the neighbourhood of the Philippine Archipelago. Gradient moderate with fresh monsoon. Gradients moderate with fresh monsoon. The pressure of such an alliance as the one indicated by Mr Chamberlain are simply amazing, and they would clearly make for peace.

There are signs of another depression to the E.S.E. of Manila, directionunsetled.

## FOOTBALL.

HONGKONG F. C. v. MR LETHBRIDGE'S TEAM.

Every fixture shows more clearly than ever the weakness of the Club, which has been beaten in every practice game played this year, and has a record of 2 goals for 13 against. On Thursday the Club met Mr Lethbridge's team, consisting of six privates and five officers of the King's Own Regiment, and an interesting game resulted. Laurence and Litchfield scoring 1 goal for the regimental team before half-time. In the second half, Lowe, on the right wing, carried the ball up to his opponents' goal and scored from a beautiful shot. Litchfield scored another goal and the game was over. The final score—Mr Lethbridge's team, 3 goals; Club, 1 goal.

## CRICKET.

SHANGHAI TEAM v. STAY-AT-HOME TEAM.

The Rev. G. R. Wallings, Chairman, acknowledges with thanks the following donations towards the Fund for new furniture, etc.

Harry Welling, Esq. .... \$ 25  
Ho Tung, Esq. .... 25  
Messrs W. Brewer & Co. .... 10  
Lt. Hastings, Esq. .... 10  
Colonel Gorman, A.P.D. .... 5  
Capt. Dyson, A.P.D. .... 5  
Major Kee, A.S.C. .... 5  
Capt. Buttenhay. .... 5

The Chartered Bank have kindly consented to receive cheques for this purpose if sent direct to them, and made payable to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Institute.

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## STAY-AT-HOME TEAM.

A match was played to-day at the Cricket Ground between the team that represented Hongkong at Shanghai and a selected Eleven captained by T. Sorcombe Smith. The Stay-at-homes batted first, and thanks to some good batting scored 251. Hongkong was unfortunate in being run out after scoring 84, in compiling which he gave two chances, one at 41 to Davies at mid-on and another at 33 to Anderson at the wickets. Anderson was taking Moberly's place in the Shanghai team. That the Battle of the Warrives would appear to be concluded, although no official notification, as to the reduction of the rental to be charged by 50 per cent., has yet appeared in the Gazette. That the old bogey of the Crown Agents had again been raised this time by our fellow Crown Colonists of Penang and Colono.

That anticipated anomalies did hard, but this one must disappear with the progress of enlightened government.

## BROWNE.

The score of the Shanghai Eleven at 4 o'clock was 88, Anton playing well.

## SCORING.—

STAY-AT-HOME TEAM. T. Sorcombe Smith, v. G. R. Wallings. .... 10

H. Haucoc, run out. .... 84

P. A. Cox, c Davies, b Wallings. .... 1

K. G. Campbell, R.A., b Lowson. .... 26

E. Mat, at Arthur, b Longhorne. .... 4

Lt. Sather, R.N., c Sub, b Campbell. .... 7

Lt. Dewar, R.N., c Arthur, b Cox. .... 72

Mr. Wall, R.N., b Lethbridge. .... 10

K. W. Montney, R.A., c Davies. .... 8

A. R. Lowe, not out. .... 0

Extras. .... 18

Total. .... 361

SHANGHAI ELEVEN. G. R. Wallings, v. T. Sorcombe Smith. .... 10

Ho Tung, not out. .... 38

G. D. Campbell, a Cox, b Smith. .... 10

Capt. Longhorne, b Smith. .... 10

H. A. Arthur, not out. .... 0

Extras. .... 7

Total for 8 Wkds. .... 58

BOWLING ANALYSIS.—

STAY-AT-HOME TEAM.

W. H. Lethbridge, 10. W. H. Lethbridge, 10.

Ho Tung, 10. Ho Tung, 10.

Mr. Wall, 10. Mr. Wall, 10.

K. G. Campbell, 10. K. G. Campbell, 10.

A. R. Lowe, 10. A. R. Lowe, 10.

Extras. .... 10

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SHANGHAI ELEVEN.

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T. Sorcombe Smith, 10. T. Sorcombe Smith, 10.

Capt. Longhorne, 10. Capt. Longhorne, 10.

H. A. Arthur, 10. H. A. Arthur, 10.

Extras. .... 10

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'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR  
That the almost hopeless difficulty of understanding what has taken place, and what is likely to take place in Peking, seems to force itself upon all thinking Foreigners.

That apparently the Emperor is still alive, although moribund in a political sense, and the attitude of the Western Powers may have exercised, or possibly will exercise some influence upon the ultimate result of the coup d'etat.

That beyond this, little seems to be known, and no one can tell what the ultimate policy of the Empress Dowager and her Manchu Princess will be.

That so far as any definite knowledge is concerned, the Diplomatic Body have taken the Empress-Dowager's assumption of power as a tentative fact, and are missing the opportunity of insisting upon an audience with the Emperor.

That this would have been a most appropriate time for testing the audience question to its legitimate point.

That the signs from the Old Country are still significant of strong resolution and determined front, to meet any emergency which may arise.

That the statement made by Mr Chamberlain in Manchester fully meets the requirements, and it is to be hoped that the Chinese will be equally frank in their surprise visit.

No previous notice had been given by the Admiralty.

That, as neither of the Powers named are specially troubled with the 'grabbing' mania, such a peace would serve to check the Powers who possess annexing propensities.

That it ought to be a source of sincere congratulation to every lover of peace and every advocate of fair-play in commerce, to find it is not the 'sphere of influence' but 'the open door, to which Mr Chamberlain alludes in his speech at Manchester.'

That, if I am not very greatly mistaken, we owe much to Mr Chamberlain for the marked change in the attitude of the Old Country which has late been made manifest.

That the mutual activities both at Home and in the United States ought to demonstrate to the opposing Powers (if any exist) the futility of coercion.

That the two great Anglo-Saxon nations seem instinctively to have made up their minds to assert their just and reasonable rights against all comers.

That, to my mind, this means peace.

That, speaking of preparations, or rather of our condition of preparedness, it is not often Hongkong sees sight like that of to-day.

That few residents ever realised the possibility of such a display of power outside of the Garrison, as the sudden landing of some 4,000 Blue-jackets and Marines (from four ships) fully furnished to the city this morning.

That these available forces were as fine a body of fighting men as could have been landed, with guns, bands, stretchers, etc., in full marching order, was a credit to all concerned.

That all true-hearted Britishers must have felt an honest pride when they looked upon this little army marching through the town: it was an object lesson which might be repeated with advantage to all concerned.

That I note a great deal of talk has been indulged in regarding the advisability of getting a shield to commemorate and mark the Interport Shooting Match.

That the idea is an excellent one, and should be acted upon at once.

That your sporting contributor 'Spectator' might take it in hand, and when the 250 (or that is quite enough for a good commemorative shield) are subscribed in the Club, let us have a formal presentation of the shield to the Interport.

That the two red-coated soldiers mentioned in the Gazette this morning were captured by the British.

That they had been captured by the British.

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NOTICE.

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as ACCOUNTANT AND AUDITOR.  
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Sheets Drawn up, and all Accountant's work  
undertaken.

W. H. GASKELL  
Letters should be addressed care of  
HONGKONG HOTEL.  
Hongkong, November 16, 1898. 2178

NOTICE.

ALL BILLS Due by me should be sent  
to the Office of the 'MANILA TIMES',  
2, Plaza de Cervantes, Manila, and will be  
PAID forthwith.

T. GOWEN,  
Formerly of 'Hongkong Telegraph',  
Manila, November 6, 1898. 2205

NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. M. J. MOSES  
to SIGN our FIRM from this  
Date.

Hongkong, November 17, 1898. 2198

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Hongkong, October 3, 1898. 1898

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NOTICE is hereby given that an  
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the Company will be held at  
the Company's Office, Nos. 88 and 40  
Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY,  
the 23rd day of November, 1898, at Twelve  
o'clock Noon, for the purpose of confirming  
the Resolutions which were passed on  
the 6th November, 1898, namely:—

(1).—That the Agreement dated the  
Nineteenth day of October, 1898,  
made between the Company and the  
One part and Queen Mines, Limited,  
of the other part, for the sale of the  
undersigned shares in the Company to  
Queen Mines Limited, for \$25,000 to  
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of 100,000 fully paid up Shares  
in Queen Mines, Limited, of 25  
cents each, and the same is hereby  
ratified.

(2).—That the Company be wound up  
voluntarily and that William  
Lütten Peter be and he is hereby  
appointed Liquidator, and for the pur-  
pose of stock winding up.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,  
General Managers,  
Hongkong, November 7, 1898. 2129

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65,621-65,670 67,496.

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kong, or the Office of the COMPANY, No.  
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or before the 30th day of November, 1898.  
A Notice is also hereby given that in the  
event of non-payment of such CALL, to-  
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day of November, 1898, the above mentioned  
Shares will be liable to be forfeited.

LÜTTGENS, EINSTMANN & CO.,  
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Hongkong, November 10, 1898. 2118

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